

BEFORE THE
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

PERIODIC REPORTING
(PROPOSAL TWO)

Docket No. RM2016-10

**RESPONSES OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
TO QUESTIONS 1-2 OF CHAIRMAN'S INFORMATION REQUEST NO. 1**
(September 8, 2016)

The United States Postal Service hereby provides its responses to Questions 1-2 of Chairman's Information Request No. 1, issued September 2, 2016. The questions are stated verbatim and followed by the response.

Respectfully submitted,

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1. The Postal Service notes that this proposal results in “attributing delivery costs to Inbound Registered.” Petition at 9.
 - a. Please confirm that this change does not affect the financial workpapers for either the Inbound Market Dominant Registered Service Agreement¹ or the Inbound Market Dominant Express Service Agreement 1.²
 - b. If not confirmed, please explain and provide the projected impact.

RESPONSE:

Confirmed.

¹ See Docket Nos. MC2016-168 and R2016-6, Order No. 3471, Order Adding Inbound Market Dominant Registered Service Agreement 1 to the Market Dominant Product List and Approving Type 2 Rate Adjustment, August 17, 2016.

² See Docket No. R2011-6, Order No. 876, Order Adding Inbound Market Dominant Express Service Agreement 1 to the Market Dominant Product List, September 26, 2011; see *also* Docket No. R2011-6, Order No. 3457, Order Approving Modification of Express Service Agreement, August 8, 2016.

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2. Please confirm that the evaluation factors for each item in worksheets 10.1.1 and 10.1.2 of USPS-RM2016-10/NP1 file: ICRA15PRC-CARRIER-CARWASH.xlsx, which were established by observing the workload of rural carriers in the most recent Mail Count, included international mail. If not confirmed, please explain how international mail is included in the evaluation factors.

RESPONSE:

Confirmed.